

**SPECIAL INTEREST CABINET – ACTION NOTES FORM**

**Cabinet Name** ACCESS

**Date** 3/5/13

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**In Attendance:** E. Roush, D. Byrne, K. Laws, P. Schmidt, S. Khalil

Topic	Discussion	Action	Who Will Follow Up
Brief Introductions			
History of the Transportation Cabinet and how it evolved into the new ACCESS cabinet	Ms. Schmidt and Ms. Roush explained what took place in an earlier cabinet and how this cabinet, while keeping in mind transportation issues, will look at the broader issue of access.		
Brainstorming on access needs	What did you see as the most important access needs and what challenges are you facing?	<p><b>Access to Welfare</b>                      Language Barriers                      Transit Issues                      Where do clients go to find solutions to those issues?</p> <p><b>Access to Healthcare</b>                      How does the immigrant population access care?                      Emergency issues                      Resources for care</p> <p><b>Access for Individuals</b>                      Immigrants                      Women with domestic violence                      Individuals with disabilities</p>	

		School Age Children Children in Transition <b>Access to Jobs and Affordable Housing</b> Attitudes of workers Access to Philadelphia Shared Ride problems	
Should we survey the membership on their access issues?	Yes	A sampling of questions that we discussed today would be put together and presented at Collaborative meeting and sent to membership through survey monkey.	Ms. Rousch and Ms. Schmidt